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WINNIPEG WELL MAKING 500 BARRELS

SALE GIVES MONEY BACK AND INTEREST IN 30-ACRE LEASE

Murchison & Pigg Dispose of Acreage on Section 100 on Basis Representing Big Advance in Past Few Days—New Locations Are Made

Murchison & Pigg sold their thirty-acre lease out of the northeast quarter of section 100, offsetting the Winnipeg ten acres on the west and south, to Dr. J. H. Massie and associates of Wichita Falls for a consideration of \$15,000 and five-sixteenths overriding royalty, it was announced here yesterday. One derrick has already been erected on the lease and a well will be spudded in as soon as machinery can be moved to the location.

A little more than a week ago, Murchison & Pigg purchased this acreage from the landowners, Hawkins, Bond & Williams, for \$15,000 and three-sixteenths royalty agreement. The deal closed with Dr. Massie and associates marks a big advance in the price of acreage since it was known that the Winnipeg people had a well and following the sensational developments on the Wells-Guiberson lease last week.

The Bridwell & Heydrick No. 1 Stephens on the northeast quarter of section 83, block 14, is drilling at 900 feet. The same concern will shortly begin an offset to the Church gasser. This location is also in the northwest quarter of 83.

Charles Kolp and associates of Electra are rigging up on their location in the southeast quarter of section 99, offsetting the Wells-Guiberson lease on the west. Cellar and slush pit are being dug on a location on Wells-Guiberson No. 2, which will be an offset to the Kolp well.

Prince Bros. have rigged up on their location on the southwest quarter of section 84, block 14, and are waiting for water. Hunter & Danciger are rigging up on the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of 84.

Kemp-Birdsong well is being bailed out before being drilled deeper.

Proclamation of Mayor for Fire Prevention Week

Fire Prevention Week, October 5 to 11, has been designated by Governor Pat M. Neff, and he has asked that mayors of all cities and towns issue proclamations calling attention to the importance of Fire Prevention Week.

Therefore, I, Harry Mason, vested with the power as Mayor of Vernon, do hereby designate the week of October 5 to 11 as Fire Prevention Week, in the City of Vernon, and do hereby call on all the citizens of Vernon to actively engage in the task of clearing the city of fire hazards.

And finally let us utilize the lessons learned during Fire Prevention Week for combatting preventable fire waste hereafter.

Given under my hand and seal at the City Hall, October seventh, 1924.
HARRY MASON, Mayor.

OKLAHOMA COUPLE MARRY HERE SATURDAY AFTERNOON

U. M. Reid and Miss Mamie Agein of Mountain View, Okla., were married here Saturday evening at 6 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Dr. E. L. Moore, pastor of the Presbyterian church at the County Clerk's office. They will reside in Mountain View.

Soda Fountain Being Improved.

A Deleo-Light Frigidaire refrigerator and dispensing unit is being installed in the soda fountain of the Vernon Drug Store this week. The fountain has been closed since Monday and service will be resumed tomorrow. The new unit is the latest improvement in soda fountain equipment, it is said.

Hauk Hill School Starts Soon.

The Hauk Hill School will start the first Monday in November, according to the trustees of that school. Every parent should take notice of this and be prepared to start their children to school.

Quannah Man Loses Finger.

J. H. Ward of Quannah had the ring finger of his left hand amputated at the second joint in a local sanitarium this week. His hand was caught in a bread moulder in a bakery at Quannah last week.

He Is "Ma" Ferguson's Running Mate.



BARRY MILLER

Barry Miller is the Democratic nominee for Lieutenant-Governor of Texas, as running mate to Mrs. Miriam ("Ma") Ferguson, nominee for Governor. Miller is a bitter enemy of the Ku Klux Klan.

STATE WIDE FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

LOCAL SCHOOLS AND CITIZENS OF VERNON JOIN IN MOVEMENT TO PREVENT FIRES

The week of October 5 to 11 has been designated as fire prevention week and Governor Neff has issued a proclamation calling attention to the loss by fire each year and asking that a formal observance of the week be made by the municipalities of Texas. Practically all civic organizations and schools are giving attention to the observance and are calling special attention to the enormous economic loss that might be prevented by fire prevention.

Among schools, who have secured a lower key rate by incorporating regular fire prevention instruction into their curricula, Vernon is classed.

W. T. Lofland, superintendent, and his assistants, the principals of the ward schools, have placed literature in the hands of the students and two themes a year are written by them on fire prevention. The children in the ward schools are making posters this week illustrating the value of fire prevention.

Fire drills are being held regularly in the schools.

Formerly a rate of one-half of one per cent was given on the key rate of a city where fire prevention was taught in the schools. The rate has been raised to three per cent. Thousands of dollars have been saved to the cities or towns who teach fire prevention in the schools.

Citizens are asked to examine their premises for fire hazards and remove same. The city officials have monthly inspection for fire hazards but are asked to make a special inspection this week.

Pulpit Orator To Preach Sunday at Methodist Church

Rev. V. H. Fisher, now a resident of Chillicothe, will fill the pulpit of the First Methodist church next Sunday at both services. He is noted as a pulpiter orator, according to reports and those who attend the services Sunday are promised an unusual treat.

Rev. Fisher was for six years a minister of the Nazarene Church, occupying pulpits of his denomination in some of the large cities of the country, including Dallas, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. Several years ago he joined the Methodist Church and later entered the ministry. He was pastor of King's Memorial Church at Childress one year and for the past year he has been a student in Southern Methodist University. He will enter the active itinerancy of the Church this fall when he will be given an appointment at the annual conference.

W. C. T. U. To Serve Lunches.

Members of the W. C. T. U. will serve lunches consisting of coffee, sandwiches and pie in the court house yard, near the rest room, commencing at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and continuing through the day.

VERNON TO PLAY WICHITA JUNIOR COLLEGE FRIDAY

Contest To Be Staged on Local Field Will Mark Completion of Training Before the Conference Schedule Opens with the Coyotes

The Vernon high school Lions will meet the football team of the Wichita Falls junior college here Friday afternoon at 3:30 for the second game of the season and the last to be played before they meet their ancient rivals, the Coyotes, of the Wichita Falls high school, at Wichita Falls, Saturday of next week.

The local mentors have had extreme difficulty getting practice games to give their hopefuls the desired experience and practice under fire before the opening of the conference schedule. The game with the junior collegians of Wichita Falls offered the only chance for another game before the Lions must meet the Coyotes to open the season's play for high school championship honors in Class A.

Hope of beating the Coyotes this year, already at a high stage, were elevated still more when it became known that the Coyotes journeyed over to Altus, Okla., last Friday to play the same team that Vernon played on the previous Friday here. The much touted Coyotes were unable to score on the Altus team and came away with a nothing-nothing decision. The Lions beat the Altus team just one week earlier by the one-sided score of 27 to 0.

This omen, however, is not being allowed to cause any alteration in the plans to meet the Coyotes. Coaches Baggett and Wilmon are planning for a hard game when they meet Vernon's 1923 conquerors. An aggressive plan of attack that is expected to give the locals the necessary touchdowns is being worked out, and then on top of a fighting attack a defense that will worry any football team of like caliber and keep the Vernon goal inviolate is being built up. If the locals are able to accomplish these two objects the Coyotes will be given a merry little party when the two teams clash Saturday of next week for the opening round of the 1924 struggle for gridiron honors.

Large Sum Collected in Fines on Charges Filed Following Raid

Saturday and Sunday were busy days for the Sheriff's department and Monday was equally busy for Justice and County Courts when 28 pleas of guilty were entered and fines collected in 26 of the cases. Saturday night members of the Sheriff's force raided a gambling game north of the River and arrested 21 persons. An even greater number than this made their escape when officers appeared on the scene.

Six cases of drunkenness were filed and four were arrested on charges of fighting and disturbing the peace. The fines and costs collected aggregated \$688.85 and those who were unable to pay fines were remanded to jail.

MISS PUCKETT AND HUBERT SITZ MARRY SUNDAY

Hubert Sitz and Miss Gillie Puckett of the north side of the county were married Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Dr. E. L. Moore, pastor of the Presbyterian church, in the church study. They will reside nine miles northwest of Vernon.

Marriage Licenses.

The following couples were granted license to wed last week: Tom Henry and Miss Ethel Lidster; Elmer Wells and Irene Nickell; Herman Leifgrind and Miss Lillie Laubach; Herbert Sitz and Miss Gillie Puckett; J. H. Richardson and Mrs. Florence Phillips; Chester Riggins and Mrs. Benna Smith; U. M. Reid and Miss Mamie Aguin; George H. Henry and Miss Rosa Locke; Jesse Palmer and Nora Fevers, negroes.

Former Resident Here On Visit.

R. E. Dodson of San Antonio is here this week with a view of making some investments in the South Vernon oil field and visiting his brother, Dr. J. E. Dodson. Mr. Dodson formerly lived in Vernon and is known to many local people.

WILBARGER PIONEERS AT CONFEDERATE REUNION IN FORT WORTH.



Early citizens of Wilbarger, who attended the Confederate reunion last week in Fort Worth, taken by the staff photographer of the Star-Telegram. Their ages and date they located in Wilbarger County are: J. A. Crenger, 83, 1880; J. G. Ayres, 76, 1883; Mrs. J. W. C. Lundy, 80, 1900; Mrs. J. P. Hamilton, 74, 1885; G. Ayres, 73, and C. E. Doan, 76, October 10, 1878.

SWINBURN WILL ERECT BUILDING

LOCAL CONTRACTOR BUYS CUMBERLAND STREET PROPERTY FOR BUSINESS HOUSE

O. A. Swinburn has purchased the lot on Cumberland street adjoining the alley north of the Library property and will shortly begin the erection of a modern one-story brick store building. The lot was purchased from the First Guaranty State Bank at a private figure.

Mr. Swinburn states that his investment will be in the neighborhood of \$13,000 including both real estate and building. The structure is to be 28 by 110 feet with frontage on Cumberland street, while the alley, running east and west through the block will provide outside exposure on the south, similar to that of the First Guaranty Bank building on Main street.

Mr. Swinburn is making the deal purely as an investment and says the building will be for sale or lease. The exact type of building will be determined by the wishes of prospective tenant or purchaser, he says.

Oil Operator Buys Dixon Residence on West Texas Street

J. A. Dixon has sold his residence on West Texas street to W. W. Palmer, an associate of Bridwell & Heydrick, oil operators, who are extensively interested in the South Vernon field. The consideration was \$5,500 cash and immediate possession is being given.

Mr. Palmer is moving his headquarters from Wichita Falls in order to be conveniently located to look after interests of his farm in the local oil field.

FARGO COUPLE MARRY HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

Miss Benna Smith and Chester Riggins of Fargo were married by T. J. Griffiths, Justice of the peace, at his home in Northwest Vernon, late Saturday evening. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith and the bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Riggins, all residents of Fargo community. The young couple will also make their home there.

Rayland Man Injured.

Art Greenhouse of the Rayland community suffered painful injuries Thursday when he fell from a wagon which was standing under the suction at the Rayland gin. Mr. Greenhouse did not regain consciousness for several hours after the accident but no bones were broken and he is recovering rapidly.

Thanksgiving Turkey Dinner.

The women of the Presbyterian church will serve a turkey dinner Thanksgiving day in the down town district. The place and menu will be announced later.

MISS CURTIS HEADS HIGH SCHOOL CLUB

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED IN HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT—OVER 100 STUDENTS

Miss Wilma Curtis is president of the new Home Economics club of the local high school, which was organized Wednesday. Miss Maudie Ree Walker is vice president; Miss Lorene Roberts, secretary; Miss Iris Young is reporter for the domestic art division and Miss Louise Frierson is reporter for the domestic science division. The club was organized primarily to raise money to help equip the home economics department and to assist in entertainments in the high school, and advance the department socially. The club will meet the second and fourth Tuesdays in each month.

Domestic science has been added to the Home Economics department for the first time this year. Miss Edith Rae Williams is in charge of the department. It differs from other lines of study, in as much as it takes up home problems. It is the most popular department in elective work as over 100 students have enrolled in this and the domestic art department. Domestic science deals with food values and cooking. Domestic art takes up the study of clothing, sewing and designing.

Work in the domestic science department has been handicapped on account of the non arrival of equipment, but stoves are being placed in the building today. The class has been studying food values and menus, both heavy and light.

Miss Izora Clark is in charge of the domestic art department. The class has finished the first problem. They have been making undergarments.

MISS CASTLEBURY SINGS FOR MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

Miss Georgia Castlebury sang for the Buckner Men's Bible class Sunday morning at the Pictorial. Mrs. Leon L. Brown accompanied her and the song was "On Life's Highway." The class had a fair attendance. R. M. Fielder, teacher of the class, gave a splendid lecture.

Sunday School Report.

The Sunday school report shows that 1020 attended Sunday school last Sunday with a collection of \$51.44. The following is the report by churches: Baptist, 353 attendance and \$12.10 collection; Church of Christ, 170 attendance and \$7.40 collection; Methodist, 240 attendance and \$12.20 collection; Presbyterian, 127 attendance and \$7.00 collection; Central Christian, 110 attendance and \$10.50 collection; Lutheran, 30 attendance and \$2.15 collection.

Injured At Gin.

Elmer Hise suffered a painful injury last week when a bale of cotton he was removing from the press at the Peoples Gin fell on his foot.

MRS. J. B. GREEN DIES SATURDAY

MEMBER OF PIONEER WILBARGER FAMILY SUCCEUMS FOLLOWING ILLNESS OF YEAR

Mrs. Mary Ann Green, wife of J. B. Green, died at the family home in East Vernon Saturday morning, after a long period of ill health. The funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon at the residence by Rev. L. P. Kopp, pastor of the Central Christian church, interment being made in East View cemetery.

Mrs. Green was born at Marshall, Texas, July 22, 1860, making her age at the time of her death, 64 years, two months and twelve days. The family had lived in Vernon for many years, being numbered among the early settlers of the county.

She is survived by her husband, John B. Green, one son, Ernest Green of Electra; and three daughters, Mrs. C. R. Staley, Mrs. Pate Blankenship and Miss Celta Green, all of Vernon.

Mrs. Green had been in ill health for more than a year and her death was not unexpected. She was a member of the Christian Church and numerous friends of the family throughout Wilbarger County will regret to learn of her death.

Lockett Gin To Be Rebuilt for Use in Present Crop Season

Aubrey L. Lockett, owner of the gin at Lockett, destroyed by fire last week, announces that he will make an effort to see his plant rebuilt in time to use in ginning this year's crop. As soon as the insurance losses are adjusted Mr. Lockett expects to place orders for machinery and begin at once on the erection of a new building.

Definite plans have not been formulated, but Mr. Lockett says he will put up a substantial building and install the very latest type of ginning machinery.

MISS ROSA LOCKE AND MR. HENRY MARRY HERE

Miss Rosa Locke of the Farmers Valley community and G. V. Henry of Chillicothe were married yesterday morning at 10 o'clock by Judge T. J. Griffiths, in his office in the court house. The bride is a daughter of Hodge Locke, a long time resident of the county. They will make their home in Chillicothe.

Alleged Forger Is Arrested.

Sheriff W. Frank Edmondson returned this week from Coalgate, Okla., with T. R. Orr, who is charged with forgery by indictment of the grand jury of Wilbarger County. The indictment was returned by the jury at the last term of district court. Orr is alleged to have passed a forged check at a local grocery store, and is now being held in jail awaiting trial.

THIRD WELL ON BRIDWELL SAND WILL BE AS HEAVY PRODUCER AS ANY BROUGHT IN WHEN COMPLETE

Thousands of People Visit South Vernon Field Sunday Afternoon to Witness Operations—Until Hole Is Thoroughly Cleaned Out Production Is Flowing Into Slush Pit and Pumped From There Into Tanks

The Winnipeg well on the northeast ten acres of the northeast quarter of section 100 came in Sunday night for what is expected to be one of the best producers in the South Vernon field. Monday the well was flowing oil into the slush pit at the rate of about 500 barrels per day and after it being allowed to set long enough for the dirt to settle it is being pumped into the tanks on the lease.

The well is not yet cleaned out and it is believed that when the hole is thoroughly cleaned the production will materially increase until the well will be as good as either the Bridwell & Heydrick or the Wells-Guiberson when it is fully completed. Thousands of people were at the lease Sunday afternoon after it had been rumored that the well would be completed. Practically the entire day Sunday was spent bailing out the hole and the spectators were rewarded several times during the late afternoon when oil was thrown through the derrick by the pressure from below.

Those who went to the lease in the hope of seeing a demonstration like the one staged last week by the Wells-Guiberson were disappointed Sunday afternoon. This does not mean, however, that the well will not be a gusher of the Wells-Guiberson proportions. In fact most of the oil men who visited the lease to watch the operations came away convinced that the Winnipeg will be as big a producer as any well in the field.

The Wells-Guiberson continues to hold up its sensational production record during the past few days. The well is flowing between 850 and 900 barrels a day through two-inch lines into tanks on the South Vernon Oil Company's lease, a distance of three-eighths of a mile. The flow was switched to the South Vernon tanks after oil storage capacity on the Wells-Guiberson lease had been filled.

The Bridwell & Heydrick No. 1 Dill continues its steady production at around 400 barrels per day with no evidences of diminution. Beyond the initial flurry of gushing when the well first came in, the Bridwell & Heydrick has been kept under control, but it was the first well in the field to show conclusively that a big pool underlies the territory covered by present operations. The Wells-Guiberson was not the heavy producer it now is until the Bridwell well drilled deeper in the sand for big production.

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER AND STUDENTS GIVE PROGRAM

The program at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club today was furnished by W. W. Cook of the high school faculty. Miss Miriam Matthews, Captain Ransome Walker and Hugh Bourland of the high school football team. Mr. Cook and Miss Matthews gave several numbers of music and readings, while the football players talked briefly about the prospects of the local team this season.

ELECTRA COUPLE MARRY AT CHRISTIAN PARSONAGE

Alfred Welch and Miss Audrey Renfro of Electra were married last night at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. L. P. Kopp, pastor of the Central Christian church, at his home on Mesquite street. They will live in Electra.

Dallas Man Visits Relatives.

W. E. Bradford of Dallas stopped in Vernon yesterday to visit his sisters, Mrs. J. A. Nabers and Mrs. W. H. Hancock, and his wife's sister, Mrs. H. H. Evans. Mr. Bradford was on his way to Post on a business trip. His wife has been visiting Mrs. Evans for several weeks. She will join him on the return trip to Dallas the latter part of the present week.

Man Caught in Gin Machinery Saturday Here Will Recover

Oren Patten, 21, is recovering from a local hospital from injuries received when he was drawn into the shafting of the Vernon gin, Saturday morning. The young man was soaping a bale when he missed his footing and slipped, falling against the shafting. He was unconscious for some time after the accident. No bones were broken but he was badly bruised. He will recover.

DR. BUTTE PASSES THROUGH VERNON

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR MET AT TRAIN YESTERDAY BY CITIZENS

Dr. George C. Butte, former dean of the law department of the University of Texas and Republican nominee for Governor of Texas, was met at the train here yesterday at 1 o'clock by a delegation of local citizens, headed by Postmaster C. Farrel.

The candidate was passing through on the southbound Fort Worth & Denver train en route from Amarillo to Wichita Falls on a speaking tour of West Texas in the Panhandle. He expressed himself as very much elated over the reception accorded him in Amarillo and declared that all indications were that he would sweep the Panhandle country. Newspaper reports said he addressed an audience of about 1,200 people at Amarillo Sunday night.

He spoke last night in Wichita Falls and then returned to Dallas to continue his campaign in other parts of the State. Republican leaders in Wichita Falls planned to lead him stop here for an address yesterday afternoon, but it was thought advisable to try to have a meeting on such notice, especially in view of the fact that both farmers and business men are busy.

Dr. Butte made no reference to the campaign while here other than his statement about his reception in Amarillo. He was introduced to members of the party of local people at the train. As he shook hands with one local man who was an active supporter of Mrs. Ferguson for Governor in the recent Democratic primary campaign, he was informed that this man was the only Ferguson supporter in the party. The candidate exclaimed, following this remark, "let me shake both hands, 'let me shake the fellows I'm after'."

Dr. Butte is a medium-sized man with brown eyes and wears glasses. When summoned to come out of the car to meet the local people, Postmaster Farrel he was smoking a pipe. He greeted the members of the party cordially and laughed and joked with them during the brief stop of the train.

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"Revelation" Here Tomorrow for Two Days at Pictorium

"Revelation," considered one of the greatest pictures of the times, will be shown Wednesday and Thursday. Viola Dana and Monte Blue are the stars of the play with an all-star cast as support.

Motion picture fans have been aying all along that the crying need better stories. They are answered in "Revelation," for the story, which was written by Mabel Wagnalls, is a classic of the screen, and is destined to stand out as one of the milestones in film history.

The picture centers on a beautiful girl, Joline Hoker, who thrown from her home, takes her fatherless only to a convent and goes to Paris to enjoy life as she can. She falls in love with a poor American artist, Paul Granville, and brings success to him by posing in a series of history's notorious women.

Then Granville decides to paint the legend of the monastery rose-bush, with Joline posing as the Madonna. When they start work in the monastery garden, the rosebush is no longer in bloom, and one of the monks, Brother Augustin, believes that its barrenness is due to the fact that he, like the monk in olden times, has sinned. He goes Joline in the garden and thinks she is the Madonna appearing to forgive him, then—the rosebush blooms!

News of the miracle spreads, but Joline, knowing the Madonna had appeared, confesses to the Prior. He explains that the rosebush blooms as proof of a real miracle—that the Holy Mother had revealed herself through Joline's eyes. This revelation leads Joline back to a life of penance with her little boy, until Granville, comes to marry her.

Today—"The Signal Tower" is closing a two-day run. A story of adventure, love and thrills, with Virginia Valli as star.

Lutheran Mission Festival. Next Sunday, October 12, Zion Lutheran congregation southwest of Vernon, will celebrate its annual mission festival. There will be German services at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m., and an English service beginning at 7 p. m. The preachers are the Rev. Obenhaus of Cisco and the Rev. Napier of Elberta. All are invited to celebrate with us.

L. HEINEMEIER, Pastor.

"I'll have to agree that's the best heater I ever saw." This is the way they talk about the Great Western Heatwell. See them yourself. North Texas Hardware Co.

Mrs. Floyd Parker and little son, Roy, are here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Lela Estes.

Notice—I will pay \$25 for sufficient evidence to convict party who took tires, tube and tools from my car Sunday night. Roy Davis. 7-31p

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See W. W. Bennett

Vernon Theater

TODAY LAST DAY Gloria Swanson in

"Manhandled"

WED. — THURS.

"Lawful Larceny" with

Hope Hampton

Nita Naldi

Lew Cody and

Conrad Nagel

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Richard Talmadge in

"LET'S GO"

PLANT FALL GARDENS! SAY A. & M. SPECIALISTS

College Station, Texas, October 6.—Using Waco as a central location of Texas, it is possible to give approximate dates that fall vegetables may be planted to provide the green and bulky food that is so necessary to good health and vigor. It is surprising for a person who has not thought of the possibilities for fall vegetables to learn how many frost resisting plants are adapted to Texas soil and moisture conditions. Below is a chart showing dates which long experience has shown A. & M. specialists that various vegetables may be planted with assurance that a good crop will be produced. Earlier or later dates may be deduced from this chart for places farther north or south of the Waco latitude. The chart follows: Celery 1 to 15; radishes, spinach, rutabaga turnips, parsnip, salsify, October 1 to 30; kale, lettuce, mustard, parsley, English peas, October 15 to November 15; onions (winter shellot), onions white multiple) rape, October 15 to November 15.

Box for Methodist Orphanage. The women of the Methodist church will pack a box this week for the Methodist orphanage. Gingham in four yards length is wanted and bolts of domestic and scrim. The articles are to be brought to Mrs. Chas. J. Marts, at the Methodist parsonage. Those who contribute material for the box are asked to send or bring the goods promptly, so that the box may be shipped this week.

We have any size electric light globe that you want and our prices are right. Ferguson Drug Store. 77-2tc

Mrs. Wm. Denny and daughter, Miss Vinita, have returned from California, where they spent the summer.

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Fear Wealthy Youth Is Kidnaped



KING HAAKON

King Haakon, of Norway, wanted to pay a visit incognito to the United States, but the experience of his nephew, the Prince of Wales, with American crowds has caused him to banish the thought, according to Mme. Charlotte Lund, operatic soprano, who has just reached New York from Norway, where she talked with the King.

Miss Robbie Castlebury left last week for a visit with Mrs. Fletcher Smith at San Angelo. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Eula Goodfellow, home demonstration agent, here.

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Hope Hampton Texas Beauty Screen Star in "Lawful Larceny"

"Lawful Larceny" is coming to the Vernon Theater, tomorrow for a two-days run, with a Texas girl as star. Hope Hampton is the screen star from the Lone Star State. She was born in Houston, Texas, in 1902. Equipped with all the freshness and vivacity that comes from a healthy life in the open, she determined, upon graduation from the local high school, to embark upon a dramatic career. Her mind made up on this point she came to New York with her mother and became a student of the Sargent Dramatic School, the foremost school of its kind in the country.

The instructors of the school quickly realized they had a find. They allowed her to play an important role in the annual play and her work was favorably commented upon. She received many offers to play upon the stage and in moving pictures and chose moving pictures. Later in New Orleans she won a prize in a beauty contest.

Her first picture was Maurice Tourneur's production of "Woman," 236.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whitener and children of Spur were here last week. Mr. Whitener was here on business and they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Castlebury.

You want a light bulb that gives more light and lasts longer. North Texas Hardware Company sells 115-grade bulbs that will satisfy you. 1tc

Used Clothes Sale. The Baptist Woman's Auxiliary will have a used clothes sale, Saturday, October 11. The sale will be held in a building on North Fannin street just across from the Thompson Filling station. Prices will range from five cents up.

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Hope Hampton Texas Beauty Screen Star in "Lawful Larceny"

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The instructors of the school quickly realized they had a find. They allowed her to play an important role in the annual play and her work was favorably commented upon. She received many offers to play upon the stage and in moving pictures and chose moving pictures. Later in New Orleans she won a prize in a beauty contest.

Her first picture was Maurice Tourneur's production of "Woman," 236.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whitener and children of Spur were here last week. Mr. Whitener was here on business and they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Castlebury.

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METHODIST WOMEN OF DISTRICT MEET

MISSIONARY SOCIETIES OF VERNON DISTRICT IN SES- SION AT CHILLICOTHE

The Woman's Missionary Societies of the Methodist church of the Vernon district meet tomorrow in Chillicothe for a two-day session. Mrs. P. Clark of Vernon is district secretary and will appear on the program. Mrs. Rona M. Watts will conduct the devotionals, Thursday morning. Several members of the local society will attend from here.

The following is the program:

Wednesday Afternoon, 3 P. M., Oct. 8
Devotional—Mrs. John E. Elledge, Matador.

Greetings—Mrs. W. H. Grammar, Chillicothe.

Response—Mrs. Will P. Jones, Childress.

Organization.

Message of District Secretary—Mrs. O. P. Clark, Vernon.

Best Ways of Conducting Missionary Meetings—Mrs. C. J. Yoder, Rowell.

Discussion by Auxiliaries.

Solo—Miss Gladys Kilgore, Chillicothe.

Evening, 7:30 P. M.

Devotional—Miss Flora Forman, Africa.

Special Music—Miss Susie Plummer.

Address—Mrs. J. B. Smith, Stamford.

Program—By Chillicothe young people.

Thursday Morning, 9 P. M., Oct. 9.

Organ Prelude—Mrs. Carlock.

Devotional—Mrs. J. H. Watts, Vernon.

Piano solo—Mrs. Cole, Chillicothe.

Reports of Auxiliaries.

Rural Auxiliaries—How To Keep Women Interested—Mrs. Lee Wheeler, Bethel Auxiliary.

Discussion by Rural Auxiliaries.

Importance of Bible Study—Mrs. M. Murrell, Chillicothe.

Our Responsibility to Our Young People—Mrs. J. B. Smith, Stamford.

Solo—Mrs. Robertson, Childress.

Missionary Message—Miss Flora Forman, Africa.

Launch.

Thursday Evening, Oct. 9, 1:30 P. M.

Devotional—Mrs. Harper, Quanah.

Our Dormitory at Austin—Mrs. J. Marshall, Quanah.

Mission Study—Mrs. J. E. Elledge, Matador.

Social Service—Mrs. Chambers, Chillicothe.

Round table discussion.

Publicity—Value of Charts and Posters—Mrs. J. H. McDonald, Quanah.

Solo—Mrs. G. G. Smith, Estelline.

Our Love Gifts for Belle Bennett Memorial—Mrs. J. B. Smith.

Financing Our Enlarged Work—Mrs. S. H. Crossley, Chillicothe.

Next place of meeting.

Exchange of plans for week of prayer.

Committee reports.

Adjournment.

Mrs. Joseph Flaig of Lubbock will arrive today to attend the Parker-Miller wedding, and visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Harrington, of Paradise street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Crow left Friday for Oklahoma City where they will spend the winter with their son, Will Crow, and family.

Mrs. M. R. Bradley has gone to Kansas City to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Baird.

MISS PARKER IS HONOREE AT BRIDGE PARTY FRIDAY

Miss Geraldine Parker was again honored at a very pretty party Friday afternoon when Miss Beulah Ladd, who will be her bridesmaid tomorrow noon, entertained with bridge. Members of the Friday bridge club and other guests were invited. Nine tables of games were played. Mrs. R. E. Martin won high score for club and was given a framed poem, "Thinking," by Edgar Guest. As prize for low score, Mrs. Chaney Puckett received a Japanese incense burner. Miss Doris Boger won high for party and was given a piece of pottery. Miss Mary Collett of Dallas, who is a guest of Miss Parker, won a letter opener. The prizes were then given to Miss Parker by the winners. The hostess presented Miss Parker with a quilt "cat on a cushion," which is to grace her fireside this winter in her new home.

A delicious salad course was served and the favors were tiny orange blossoms suggestive of the approaching marriage of Miss Parker and Mr. Miller, tomorrow.

The following were present: Mesdames Clint Swartwood, Frank Byrd, E. O. Youngblood, Clint Rodgers, E. L. McCarter, Eugene Keltz, R. M. Fielder, Louis Bomer, John A. Storey, O. O. McCurdy, E. M. Haney, Aubrey L. Lockett, S. A. White, Harold Shive, Joe Parker, Dee Norwood, Howard Timberlake, R. B. Gibson, M. C. Culbertson, W. R. Moore, Fred Thompson, Y. H. Babasin, L. C. Hoover, J. V. Leuk, Chaney Puckett, W. A. Wilhelm and R. E. Martin. Misses Johnnie Mallow, Geraldine Parker, Harriet Thomas, Berrie Dixon, Doris Boger, Esther Swartwood.

R. L. Olive of the Haulk Hill community was in Vernon today on business.

Mrs. J. M. Stroud of Tell left today after a visit here with Mrs. L. C. Moore, and family.

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Send your name and address plainly written together with 5 cents (and this slip) to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, and receive in return a trial package containing Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, "flu" and whooping coughs, and tickling throat; Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for stomach troubles, indigestion, gassy pains that crowd the heart, biliousness and constipation; Chamberlain's Salve, needed in every family for burns, scalds, wounds, piles, and skin afflictions; these valued family medicines for only 5 cents. Don't miss it.



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TEXAS IS A GOOD PLACE TO MARRY A FARM

If you want to marry a farm, Texas offers splendid opportunities. Over six per cent of the Plainsmen of the Lone Star state have acquired their lands by matrimony, according to the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural Foundation, based on a survey made by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Texas is almost as good a hunting ground for the land-eyed suitor as the five North Central states, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa, Illinois and Minnesota, known as the "Farm by Marriage" group. In these states an average of 8.4 per cent of the farm owners have taken a farm along with a wife. In Kentucky and

Tennessee, of the 845 farmers interviewed, 5.9 owned their farm to cupid.

Of 109 Texas farm owners, 88.2 per cent purchased their land outright, while 5.7 per cent acquired it by inheritance. This survey included 18,544 acres. For the United States as a whole, 79 per cent of the farm acreage was acquired by purchase, 15.3 per cent by inheritance, 3.3 per cent by marriage and 2.4 per cent in other ways, principally by homesteading. These percentages vary according to location and the type of farming.

As might be expected in an old state like Massachusetts, a high percentage of the farms were acquired by inheritance. Among the 710 transfers examined in that state 22.8 per cent represented inherit-

ances. Western Nebraska still has many farms occupied by the original homesteaders. Approximately 19 per cent of the farmer owners in one section of western Nebraska where these figures were gathered, stated that they were the original homesteaders.

On the 845 farms examined in Kentucky and Tennessee involving a total of 71,495 acres, 81.2 per cent of the farmers had purchased outright, 12.3 per cent had acquired possession by inheritance, less than one per cent by gift, and none by homesteading.

In the five North Central states called the "Farm by marriage group," only 6.4 per cent owned a farm by purchase. Almost 25 per cent had inherited their land, while 2.1 per cent had homesteaded.

High School Bible Class.
A class in Bible study in connection with the High school was organized Monday morning. The class will be taught jointly by Dr. E. L. Moore and Rev. L. P. Kopp. They will meet twice per week. The completion of the course will give one-half unit toward graduation in the local high school and a full unit of credit toward entrance in any church college in the state. A splendid class was present and the work begins with much promise.

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F. E. Shaw of the Sherwood community was in Vernon today.

Mrs. R. Clyde Smith and little daughter are here for a visit with

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hlatt.

C. A. Allinghaus left last week for a visit with relatives at La Platte, Missouri.

No. 7
THE CALIFORNIA STATE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY has paid many claims in this County during the last 10 years. Several large claims have been paid where the insured had never paid a cent of the premium. That was made possible because of my long connection with the Company, which enables me to grant credit to worthy persons who are not able to pay the cash.
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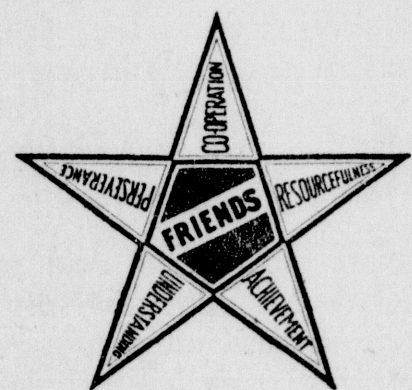
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SENATOR CARAWAY FIRES A DUD.

Considerable speculation as to the reason for the sudden recall of Secretary Wilbur from California recently was set at rest in Washington a few days ago when Senator Caraway of Arkansas read at a public meeting an advance copy of the Secretary's speech, which was never delivered because he was summoned to Washington.

It is customary to distribute copies of speeches and even important executive messages to Congress to newspapers in advance of their actual delivery, in order to facilitate their publication. But no newspaper of standing would divulge any information obtained through the operation of a method calculated to advantage newspapers more than any one else.

Newspaper men quite generally understood the reason Secretary Wilbur was recalled. His speech was wholly out of keeping with the Republican campaign plan, but not until the Arkansas Senator read and commented on the suppressed Wilbur speech did the general public have any intimation of what the Secretary intended to say or why the President recalled him. Of course, under the circumstances no reply could be made to Senator Caraway. The White House could not reply without admitting all the Senator charged.

But it is to be doubted that Senator Caraway contributed anything to the Democratic cause or increased the esteem which he may have enjoyed. It was a cheap bid for publicity, because no matter how the Senator came into possession of the copy of the suppressed speech, some one betrayed a confidence. If Senator Caraway did not do so himself he took advantage of another's perfidy. No one applauds treachery. The American people like to see the game played according to the rules. Senator Caraway may have satisfied public curiosity concerning the Wilbur incident but he did not add any dignity to himself or the campaign. The failure of other Democrats to give publicity to the suppressed speech is pretty good evidence that his disclosure was regarded as a violation of the basic rules of gentlemanly conduct.

GETTING COOLIDGE ON RECORD.

The campaign progresses. And as progress is recorded certain mooted questions are cleared or become more mooted, accordingly as the speaker declares himself clearly or obtusely. The position of President Coolidge on public questions has not been greatly clarified by the developments of the campaign. Beyond what the public knew of the President when the session of Congress ended, little has been revealed. This is true to the extent that we find Republican orators holding a sort of joint debate, as it were, relative to what the President really stands for. This indicates just how little Mr. Coolidge has said.

But there are signs of progress in discovering the trend of the presidential mind. When the campaign opened we knew that the President favored open air recreation. We thought he was against the increase in salaries of postal clerks, but in a recent speech before a delegation of postal employees he valiantly recanted. We thought he was against the soldiers' bonus, but we see now that he stands on a platform which lands the Republican party for granting the bonus. We thought he was opposed to any participation in foreign affairs, but we now find him praising the work of the Dawes committee, appointing an agent to have charge of Germany's fiscal affairs and declaring that the United States must accept some responsibility in foreign affairs.

Another burning issue which the President has given his support is common sense. On this matter he speaks without equivocation. The

Helped Washington Win First Pennant



Leon "Goose" Goslin, left fielder and batting demon of the Washington Club, helped the Senators materially to win their first American League pennant.

Constitution, the Stars and Stripes, the Washington Monument, the heroism of La Fayette and other revolutionary leaders have been added to the list of issues that enjoy the support of the White House.

But the latest declaration of positive character to escape the presidential lips is that he favors Washington to win the World Series over the New York Giants.

Thus far Mr. Davis has been unable to get a rise out of the President. Question after question has been suggested for discussion, but the President maintains a dignified indifference. But since Mr. Coolidge has declared himself on the open air question, the great common sense question, and told us that he hopes to see the Washington team of the American League win the baseball championship of the world, we believe Mr. Davis ought to meet him and discuss these burning issues.

The Record modestly suggests this course to Mr. Davis, although we hope, with the President, that Washington will beat the Giants.

Dr. E. F. Lyon is attending court at Ballinger.

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See J. R. Jones, Local Agent

Real Estate Transfers.

L. E. Standifler et ux, et al to Frank D. Wilson, 90 by 135 feet out of Block 12, Elliott & Sitterly Addition.

H. Pressley et ux to C. C. Hawley, S. E. 1-4 of Sec. 27, Block 11, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

S. A. White to Clara George, Lot 1 of Coffee Subdivision of Block 68A Robinson & Elliott & Sitterly Additions.

C. H. Bryant to Rufus P. Adams, lots 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10 and 12, Bryant's Subdivision of Block 94, South Addition to Vernon.

C. H. Bryant to Rufus P. Adams, Lots 5, 6, 7 and 10, Block 95, South Addition to Vernon.

James Garrett et ux to H. F. Fletcher, E. 1-2 of Lot 3, Block 5, Bacon & Bentley Addition to Vernon.

J. A. Fuller et ux to Rufus P. Adams, Block 89, 91 and 92, South Addition to Vernon.

E. B. Owen et ux to Fred Schuette and Raymond Spears, Lot 1, Block 3, T. H. Shive Addition to Vernon.

H. S. Starr to W. W. Johnson, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block 51, Original town of Vernon.

Oil Leases and Assignments.
Mrs. J. J. Fain to Robert N. Hamilton, N. 1-2 of W. 1-2 of Section 6, Block 11, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

S. A. Bell et ux to Robert N. Hamilton, W. 1-2 of N. 2-3 of Section 10, Block 11, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

H. A. Bell et ux to Robt. N. Hamilton, 100 acres off N. side of H. A. Bell land in Section 10, Block 11.

Frances A. Sumner to Robt. N. Hamilton, S. 1-2 of S. 1-2 of Sec. 1, Block 11, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

P. L. Hart et ux to Robt. N. Hamilton, N. 1-2 of S. 1-2 of Sec. 1, Block 11, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

A. H. Murchison and E. H. Pig to Geo. B. Ray and J. H. Massie, 30 acres out of N. E. 1-4 of Section 100, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

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J. B. Morris to Jim Bomer, West 20 acres of S. 30 acres of S. E. 1-4 of N. W. 1-4 of Section 78, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

R. H. Hart to G. T. Hamer, N. 1-2 of S. 1-2 of Block 20, R. H. Hart

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Subdivision.
S. A. Naylor et ux to The Texas Company, N. W. 1-4 of Sec. 6, Block 10, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Alex Streit et ux to The Texas Company, 123.65 acres out of S. W. corner of Section 12, Block 10, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Alex Streit et ux to The Texas Company, S. W. 1-4 of Section 18, Block 10, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Hubbard Colley et ux to The Texas Company, N. E. 1-4 of Sec. 5, Block 11, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

R. E. Swin et ux to The Texas Company, S. 100 acres of N. 200 acres of 400 acre tract in Eliza J. Littleton Survey.

L. P. Bonner to W. G. Burton, S. W. 1-4 of S. W. 1-4 of Sec. 80, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Quincy Nielson to J. A. Birdsong, S. 1-2 of N. 1-2 of S. E. 1-4 of Section 84, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

T. F. Hunter to Geo. B. Ray and J. H. Massie, E. 20 acres of N. 40 acres of W. 1-2 of S. W. 1-4 of Sec. 84, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

T. W. Walker et ux to J. S. Bridwell, E. 10 of W. 1-2 of S. W. 1-4 of S. E. 1-4 of Section 99, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

South Vernon Oil Company to T. W. Walker, E. 1-2 of W. 1-2 of S. W. 1-4 of S. E. 1-4 of Section 99, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Carl Zipperle to W. G. Burton, N. W. 1-4 of Sec. 80, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Mineral Deeds.

Carl Zipperle to W. G. Burton, N. W. 1-4 of N. W. 1-4 of Sec. 80, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

A. M. Hiatt et ux to J. B. Morris, S. 30 acres of S. E. 1-4 of N. W. 1-4 of Section 78, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Carl Zipperle to N. B. Chennault and P. J. Lee, N. 1-2 of N. 1-2 of S. E. 1-4 of Sec. 84, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

A. M. Hiatt et ux to Chennault & Lee, 100 acres out of N. W. 1-4 of Section 78, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Carl Zipperle to Joe Edgar, 1-2 interest in S. W. 1-4 of S. E. 1-4 of Section 84, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Joe Edgar to L. P. Douglas, 1-4 interest in S. W. 1-4 of S. E. 1-4 of Section 84, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

Carl Zipperle to W. G. Burton, N. W. 1-4 of Sec. 80, Block 14, H. & T. C. Ry. Co. Survey.

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"GET TOGETHER" MEET IS SUCCESS

MEMBERS OF AMERICAN LEGION AND AUXILIARY ENJOY MEETING AND ORGANIZE

Singing, stirring camp songs, performing various stunts which only ex-service men can frame up, and "stowing away" the biggest "feed" ever spread by local veterans, all contributed to what ex-service men who were present describe as the most successful "get together" meeting held in Wilbarger County since the war. The occasion was the meeting last night attended by ex-service men, their wives, mothers, sisters and daughters. Advertised to take place at Allingham Park, the reunion was held in the basement of the Presbyterian Church, as was previously announced, because of rain. A good crowd attended, but the rain kept away many out-of-town veterans and their families because of almost impassable roads, but many came through the mud from miles away rather than miss the affair.

Organization of an American Legion Auxiliary unit, already under way, was completed following the program last night, and many new members were added. Permanent officers will be elected at the next meeting which will be held on the next Legion meeting date. Mothers, wives, daughters and sisters of members of the American Legion, or of veterans who died in the service or since honorable discharge are eligible to join the Auxiliary, and applications of relatives of World War veterans for membership should be sent to Mrs. M. C. Culbertson, temporary president or Mrs. O. O. McCurdy, secretary.

The honor guest of the evening was Mrs. T. U. Brunson, of Wichita Falls, member of the Executive Committee of the Texas Auxiliary for this district. Mrs. Brunson gave an explanation of the aims and purposes of the Auxiliary and ably assisted the local women in organizing plans. She was given a vote of thanks by all present for her trip here.

The program included songs, music, two readings by Mrs. Leon Brown and several short talks by those called on, as well as a varied assortment of stunts which kept the crowd laughing, including a French harp duet by Messrs. Culbertson and Hancey during which both played on the same harp. Everyone brought a basket of lunch and lemonade was kept "on tap" for all. After those present ate all they could, there was much left that had to be carried away.

All present declared it to be the best occasion of its kind, and unanimously voted to make it an annual affair. However, they made plans to get together again at Vernon on Armistice Day, at which time it is planned to feed all veterans free at an "Army Canteen." Preliminary plans for the big celebration were made, and all ex-service men invited to return and bring their families and see that their "buddies" answered present.

RAYLAND NEWS.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark were Crowell visitors Tuesday.

Misses Irene Jordan and Alma Bowers, who are attending school at Vernon, spent last week-end with relatives here.

Miss Lola Watson of Parsley Hill and Miss Laura Allen and daughter, Robye, visited in the Lee Jordan home Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duffie and Miss Lola Watson were visitors in Vernon Sunday afternoon.

John Cribbs and daughter, Edith, and Sam George and Mrs. Laura Allen were Vernon visitors Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Jordan and granddaughter, Robye Allen, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. F. T. Mears.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jordan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duffie and Mrs. Della German were Vernon visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Nina Newman and daughters, Alma and Irene, of Vernon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Trace Beazley Sunday.

Mrs. N. J. Beazley and son, Wood, and Miss Catherine Beazley, visited in Vernon Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Lyle and son, Willie Lee, visited Mrs. R. L. Garrett Sunday.

Edna Green is ill at this writing with typhoid fever. She was removed from her home here to the home of her aunt, Mrs. Jeff Ivy, in Vernon.

Attend District Meeting.

The following members of the local Missionary Society of the Methodist church will attend the district meeting at Chillicothe tomorrow: Mrs. J. N. Johnson, delegate; Mrs. C. V. King, alternate; Mrs. Rena M. Watts, Mrs. G. W. Backus, Mrs. H. E. Rogers and Mrs. O. P. Clark, district secretary.

Correction.

Mrs. Price Denny assisted Mrs. S. E. Porterfield at a party given for Miss Parker Tuesday. Through some oversight the name of Mrs. Denny was omitted as assistant hostess. We gladly make the correction.

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Car Sales Agency of Wichita Falls Firm Opens Here

The local branch of the Parmenter Motor Company of Wichita Falls for handling the retail sales in this territory of the Star, Durant and Flint cars will be opened this week under the management of E. T. Baker. A feature of the opening of the local agency will be a parade staged in Vernon Saturday afternoon showing the various models of the three lines of cars to be handled by the branch.

The sales room will be in the Reno building on the South side of the square, formerly occupied by the Works Auto and Supply Company.

The opening of the Vernon agency was scheduled to take place the first of the present month, but it was postponed on account of the illness of Mr. Baker who underwent an operation at a Wichita Falls hospital the latter part of September and was unable to get here sooner than this week.

Accident Indemnity Popular Feature of Local Life Mutuals

Mutual life insurance associations, organized and managed by people of some certain community with policy holders limited to the people of that particular community, have become common. Their popularity is deserved, because they supplement old line life insurance by offering protection that is readily convertible into cash when death occurs. No one who understands life insurance would pretend that these mutual aid associations take the place of old line life insurance, yet they bring a form of life insurance within reach of many who are unable to procure old line insurance because of the cost.

Vernon has several such mutual life associations and they have rendered a distinct service in times of bereavement, which frequently come after long periods of illness and find the family in straitened circumstances on account of the expense of paying bills incident to serious cases of sickness. The local associations pay quickly, without unnecessary red tape and financial embarrassment is avoided through the operation of this form of life insurance.

There is now organized a mutual association in Vernon which pays for losses other than death. The Vernon Mutual Life and Accident Association offers a policy which covers total disability from any cause, loss of limbs or eyes and old age endowment. These features carry the very desirable features of the local mutual association a step further and confer benefits in cases, which, often are just as distressing from a financial standpoint as the death of the bread winner of the family.

The growth of this association since its organization has been slow, due to the care of the officers and directors in selecting risks, but it has now reached a point where the policies offer substantial indemnity for the forms of losses it covers.

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Banks, wholesale houses, mercantile firms, and the like are calling for many more Draught-trained graduates than we can furnish. \$75 to \$100 a month guaranteed to begin with after you qualify. Write today for free Position Contract and Special Offer 10. Draught's College, Wichita Falls or Abilene, Texas. Up

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MRS. SUMNER HONOREE AT SHOWER SATURDAY

Mrs. Joe C. Sumner, formerly Miss Mary Anderson, who returned last week from her honeymoon spent in California, was complimented with a lovely shower Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Birdie H. Parker, of Wilbarger street.

The affair was planned by the Tuesday and Friday bridge clubs, of which she was a member and the spacious rooms were filled with guests. They were met at the door by Mrs. Joe Parker and Mrs. Dee Norwood, where they were directed to the bride's registry, presided over by Miss Harriet Thomas and Miss Esther Swartwood. From the registry they were ushered into the dining room where ices molded into miniature bride's slippers, angel food cake, with pink frosting and minis were served.

After the guests were served the folding doors were thrown open and the bride was asked to walk down the vine trellised path to a moss covered and vine wreathed well. Hidden in the depth of the well was an old oaken bucket which, when drawn to the surface, was seen to be not filled to the brim with water but piled high with packages. All round the room on tables other beautiful gifts in silver and gold and silk and linen had been arranged. The sun earlier formed the back ground of the sylvan scene and was filled with growing plants and blooming flowers. The trellises leading to the well were covered with vines that had taken on the hues of autumn when touched by frost. Soft lights brought out the hidden loveliness of the scene.

Automobile Registry.

Owners registered 55 automobiles and 16 trucks this week, as follows: Owen & Rutledge, Ford; H. Hildebrandt, Ford; Martin Riedel, Overland; J. D. Ross, Ford; C. D. Williams, Overland; T. A. Morrison, Ford; L. L. McHugh, Chevrolet; J. T. Hamilton, Ford; S. C. Starr, Ford; O. C. Morrison, Ford; A. E. Conits, Ford; Henry and J. L. Riley, Ford; W. E. Grimes, Ford; W. W. Pearey, Ford; Weldon Kinchelee, Ford; L. A. Billings, Ford; P. C.

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A Talk with a Vernon Man.

Mr. Manis Tells Something of Interest to Vernon Folks.

There's nothing more convincing than the statement of someone you know and have confidence in. That's why this talk with Mr. Manis of Cumberland street, should be mighty helpful here in Vernon.

J. J. Manis, prop. of auto access ory store, 1603 Cumberland St., residence 1628 Bowie St., Vernon, gave the following statement April 5, 1919: "There was a steady bearing down pain across my back and it was so sore and lame at night. I couldn't sleep. Mornings it was difficult to straighten. My kidneys were weak and acted irregular, too, and the secretions turned in passage. Doan's Pills rid me of the attack."

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Just the kind the boys have been looking for, all with two pair trousers, some with belts in back and others with belts that go around. These suits are all wool and reinforced to give the most wear.

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Caps to match the new Suits at—

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Kaynee Shirts and Blouses for the boys are the best. They are guaranteed fast colors—

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Cadet school hose are guaranteed to give you satisfaction or a new pair will gladly be given you in return for those that do not stand the test of school wear.

ONLY 50c PAIR

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Vernon, Texas

OCTOBER 5-11 IS FIRE
PREVENTION WEEK

During 1923 the United States recorded the greatest fire waste in her history. On an average 40 persons were killed and \$1,500,000 worth of property values were destroyed by fire. (Each day in the year.)

In Texas, however, during the same year, am glad to report that by hard work and constant attention, we have made wonderful improvements on fire waste and also the losses of life as well. During 1922, 206 persons lost their lives and fifteen million dollars worth of property was consumed by fire, while in 1923, 162 persons lost their lives and twelve million dollars fire loss was the sum total. Thus it would appear that we have been making some headway along fire prevention lines, and let us hope that the good work of conservation may continue.

Statistics conclusively prove that carelessness and ignorance of fire dangers go hand in hand as the principal causes of our great national fire; hence every effort must be made to cause the people to realize the needlessness of fire, and to impress the importance of minimizing the losses.

The burden of all the fires that fall upon the public. Fire insurance concerns only reimburse the individual for property destroyed by fire—they do not restore the values that are thus wiped out; they are merely the collectors and distributors of the fire tax. A percentage to cover the accumulated insurance is always added to the cost of everything that we buy, and so in the final analysis the people pay the fire waste bills.

Fires can be prevented and Fire Prevention Week is intended to give that fact home to the public. The State of Texas, in cooperation with the general plan adopted for a countrywide observance of the occasion this year, do hereby designate the period of October 5th to 11th, A. D. 1924, as Fire Prevention Week throughout the State of Texas, and I do hereby call upon all of our citizens to actively engage in the task of clearing the State of fire hazards.

It is important that a Fire Prevention Committee be formed in each community to direct the work.

The conflagration danger of every city, town, and village should be surveyed and measures adopted to reduce it.

An ample water supply, and adequate means for utilizing it for fire purposes should be given careful study and attention.

An inspection service under the management of the chief of the fire department and the city fire marshal for thorough inspection of the mercantile and manufacturing districts ought to be inaugurated and vigorously supported, and arrangements should be made with school authorities everywhere for the instruction of the children in the method of fire prevention and the principles of fire insurance.

Let all theaters, schools, public halls, hotels, private institutions, and all places of assembly be carefully

fully inspected by those in charge, looking to the elimination of all fire hazards.

It is to be hoped that all municipal officers throughout the State will show recognition of said Fire Prevention Week by some appropriate formality to the end that fire dangers and simple means of fire prevention be brought to the attention of our people.

I permit me to suggest that all mayors in this State issue proclamations, calling to the attention of our people the importance of the fire prevention week and requesting strict observance of same.

And finally, let us industriously utilize the lessons and experiences of Fire Prevention Week for combating preventable fire waste hereafter.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the State of Texas, at the Capitol, in the City of Austin, on the 12th day of September, A. D. 1924.

PAT M. NEFF, Governor.

SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Mrs. Birdie H. Parker of Wilberger street entertains Parker-Miller bridal party and her house guests tonight at a six o'clock dinner.

Parker-Miller wedding tomorrow at high noon, at Methodist church.

The Wednesday Forty-two club meets tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. L. G. Hawkins of Wilberger street.

The Social Art Club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Antle of 2011 Mesquite street.

Mrs. R. W. Ferrell of Nabers street is hostess Thursday afternoon to the members of the Thursday Bridge club.

Mrs. Eugene Keltz will entertain the Home Science club Friday afternoon. The officers of the club will be assistant hostesses.

The Thursday Embroidery club will meet with Mrs. J. N. Fulcher at 3:45 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. E. Warren of Family street is hostess to the Saturday Bridge club, Saturday afternoon.

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QUALITY

of our service that pleases so well our customers.

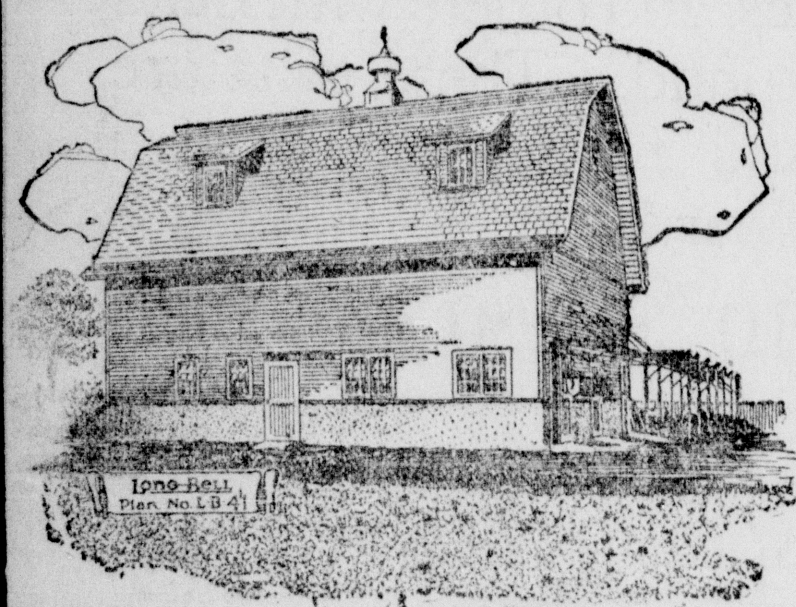
It's the promptness of this splendid service.

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Phone us; try our service and see what a booster you will become.

Empire Laundry

Phone 60



A Modern Barn

A good barn designed and equipped in a modern way, makes farm problems easier and add joy to farming.

The gambrel-roofed braced-rafter barn pictured above can be arranged with stalls, pens, bins, sheds, and so forth to suit the needs of the builder—and this is but one of the many plans we will show you when you call on us.

We are ready to help you plan a convenient, labor saving barn. Our plans are here for your use. We'd like to talk to you about them—and, too, about the use of good material in building the barn.

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Lumber Company

Vernon, Texas

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Till the Soil

This store is pleased to know that among its numerous friends and customers are scores of people from the greatest institution of all—the farms of America!

We earnestly want to serve you who are engaged in producing farm products. All our service is yours. You do not have to ask for it. Come and you will receive it.

Nowhere else can you buy the personal and household needs for the entire family and enjoy larger savings than at this store. Inspect our stocks. Compare our values. Judge for yourself.

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571 DEPARTMENT STORES

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For This New Store!

This Store has been opened only a short time, but long enough to count among its customers a large number of people who have come to recognize in our values the savings that count so much in the family purse. New friends are being added daily. Uniformly low prices and dependable quality are proving to be the buying magnet here.

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QUALITY
GOODS
ALWAYS
AT LOWER
PRICES

Important Things You
Should Consider

The fact that the J. C. Penney Company operates 571 Stores is interesting to you in two ways:

First, because of its extensive operations it brings to you the advantages that ordinarily are not enjoyed outside of Chicago, New York and other large cities. When a style is new, this store has it while it is still new.

Second, because of our very large collective buying important savings are made. These savings are passed on to the customers of every one of our stores. You with others benefit largely.

J.C. Penney Co.

Arch Support Oxfords
Insure Foot Comfort for Women

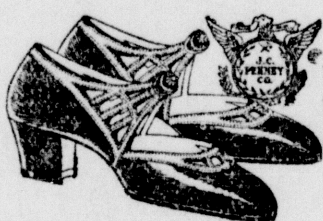
Protex Arch Oxfords bring joy to women who have been suffering from troubles caused by fallen arches. Many are the ailments traced to this source, due to wearing shoes which do not support the arch of the foot properly.



Protex Arch Shoes Really
Fit the Arch!

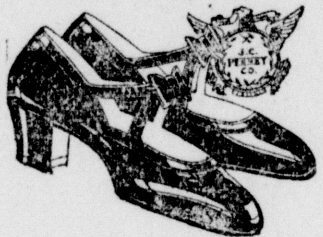
They are scientifically designed to bring foot comfort to their wearers. Let us fit you properly in these comfortable, neat looking oxfords. Made with welt sole. Cuban heel with rubber tap. Black or brown kid.

Black \$4.98 Brown \$5.90

Women's Satin Pumps
New Novelty Style for Dress Wear

An attractive number in black satin trimmed with black calf. Cut-out vamp and quarter. Covered Cuban heel.

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One of the Season's Newest Styles

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Hose with mercerized heel, toe and garter top to insure longer wear. Buy these smart silk hose at a saving. Pair,

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The Workman's Friend

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- fast color chambray, plain blue and grey
- two large pockets that button
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We're sure you can't equal this exceptional value at any but a J. C. Penney Company Store.

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In Neat Patterns

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Exceptional Values

Handsome patterns of grey, blue and brown in all wool worsteds and unfinished worsteds.

Model, as illustrated—three button, single breasted, notch collar, plain pockets with flaps, back slightly fitted.

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The New Small Shape Caps for Young Men

There's a snappy, collegiate effect to these new small shapes. Stab visor. Silk lined. Popular shades and fabrics. Cushion fitting leather sweat bands.

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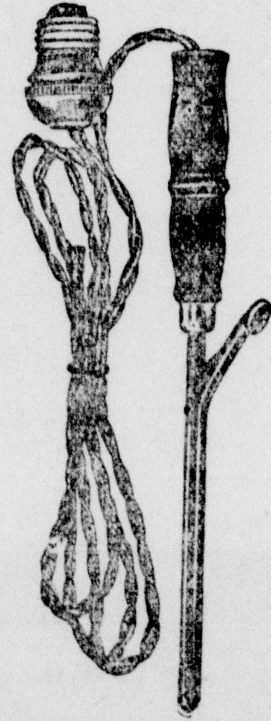
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The finish, the quality, and the softness of the fabric recommend our Honor Bleached Muslin to discerning users. Yard

**GHY RAIN FALLS
OVER COUNTY YESTERDAY**

A slow drizzling rain which was general all over the county commenced falling here yesterday about noon and lasted about two hours. The shower was of no benefit to cotton but helped fall gardens. Cotton picking was delayed until this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vetoito announce the birth of a son, Sunday, October 5.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fagg of this city are the parents of a baby girl, born Saturday, October 4.

We have just unloaded a carload of Great Western stoves. Call and see them; you know who sells the best stoves.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bishop of Arkland were here last week visiting relatives and attending to business.

For Sale—Real Estate.

FOR SALE—Practically new five-room modern house and garage. Electric lights, near good school. North of Fair park. Two acres of land. See owner, O. W. Elliott. 7-31p

FOR SALE—206 3-4 acres land one mile north of Oklaunion. This is priced to sell. J. S. Couch. 2-16p

FOR SALE—Improved 160 acres good sandy land farm two and one-half miles south of Rayland. Chas. Latsch. 69-12p

NOTICE FARMERS—Buy your seed here. Half and half cotton seed now. You will save money by getting them now at the gin. Ernest Archer. 78-6tp

FOR SALE—Framed house, 12x14 ft. Weather boarded and ceiling. Can be seen first door north of pump station. J. A. Edmondson. 77-3tc

FOR SALE—400 acre farm located in Farmers Valley for sale or trade. Priced to sell. L. D. Terrell. First Guaranty State Bank Building. 6-1tc

ORTY ACRES of land in Ashley county, Arkansas, to trade for Vernon property. For further information inquire of T. L. Coston at Emery Laundry. 75-6tc

FOR SALE—Two nice lots at corner of Pease and Bowie streets. Ideal location for rooming or apartment house. Can be bought worth the money. Also eight-room house with modern convenience at 924 East Wilbarger Street on a quarter block 50 by 120. Priced to sell. Also a nice lot in Hill Crest Addition. Price 70 by 240 on pavement. This is worth more than price asked. See owner, M. M. Spruill. 78-2tp

FOR SALE—Modern four-room bungalow on East Marshall street. Priced to sell quick. See S. A. White. Phone 66 or 649. 77-3tp

FOR SALE—1000 acres good plains and in Farmer County, located about 4 miles from station on main line of Santa Fe. Improvements consist of fence, cross fence, 300 acres fenced with woven wire, 450 acres in cultivation. Two sets of improvements, one good eight room dwelling house, well, sheds and corals, one good six room tenant house. Price \$27,500 per acre, \$6,500 cash, balance terms to suit purchaser. M. A. Crum, Friona, Texas. 7-2tp

FOR SALE—60 acres sandy land and one-half miles south of Fort house on pavement. Good improvements. Possession January 1. Reasonably good terms. Address M. Neathery, Paris, Texas, or see G. Morris at Herring National Bank. 6-1tc

FOR SALE—A good sandy land farm for sale cheap. Three miles south of Chillicothe. See Vernon Real Estate and Mortgage Company, Waggoner National Bank Building, room 205. 73-8tc

Store building and small stock of groceries. Store located at corner of Malden and Nabers streets on leased lot. Residence can also be used at reasonable rental. See J. Duckworth. Phone 336-J. 76-4tp

ARGE TWELVE room apartment house with two baths for sale. Phone 434. 79-3tc

FOR SALE—Good small farm, (160 acres), in Grady County, Oklahoma. Reasonable price. Liberal terms. J. Nabers, Vernon, Texas. 79-8tc

MODERN TWO-ROOM house for rent. Water and lights. Inquire at first house west of pump station. R. Judd. 79-3tp

SOUTH PLAINS farm lands for sale. The best land, the best investment. \$20 per acre, \$3 cash, balance easy terms. Good water. This is some of our best cotton and feed buff land on the plains. For particulars see H. A. Tubbs at Bird House, Vernon, Texas. 1tp

WILL TAKE one or two good second hand Fords in part payment on a fourth section farm land in Buchanan county. See J. A. Tubbs at Bird House, Vernon, Texas. 1tp

10 ACRES FOR SALE—On F. F. Highway one half mile from town. Price \$30 per acre. Will take small cash payment or good car as first payment. Terms on balance. H. R. Cress, Muleshoe, Texas. 8-1tc

FOR SALE—Let me sell you a good home for less than the cost of material. E. C. Soay. 75-8tc

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Filling station two and one-half miles east of Vernon at a bargain if taken at once. E. E. Luttrell. 78-6tc

FOR SALE—Two or three hundred bushels of winter barley. Fine for seed. J. A. Creager. 72-8tp

FOR SALE OR TRADE—1924 model Ford touring car. See Hugh D. Thompson at Thompson Filling Station. 77-3tc

FOR SALE—Bundle feed, kaffir corn, maize and sorghum, located in Farmers Valley. L. D. Terrell. 78-2tc

FOR SALE—Renewed Ford touring car. A real bargain. See A. J. Robinson at White Garage. 78-2tc

FOR SALE—Renewed Buick Six touring car. For a real bargain see A. J. Robinson at White Garage. 78-2tc

FOR SALE—Good milch cows and some horses and mules. G. H. Rich. 5 miles northwest of Vernon. 79-12tp

FOR SALE—Base burner stove. Would trade for smaller stove. Phone 661 or 702-W. 79-3tc

FOR SALE—CHEAP—Base burner in good condition. Phone 584. Mrs. W. N. Stokes. 79-3tc

FOR SALE—Pure Kanred seed wheat. F. H. Coburn on Ed Swim home section in Farmers Valley. 79-3tp

FOR SALE—One 2-ton White truck and one 2 1/2 ton truck. Equipped with tanks or trailers. From \$500 to \$650 will handle either truck. Small cash payment with easy terms on balance. Write Rob Cunningham, P. O. Box 45, Electra. Telephone 824, Electra. 79-2tp

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished room for gentlemen of refinement. Hot and cold water. Two blocks from court house, private entrance. See J. H. Elgin at McKibbin's Store. 77-3tc

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom close in. See Mrs. H. A. Samuel at Perkins-Timberlake. 77-3tc

BED ROOM TO RENT to one or two working girls. Phone 433 or call 1296 Olive street. 77-3tc

FURNISHED ROOMS—Close in to rent to couple without children. Would consider one small child. Phone 706. 77-3tc

FOR RENT—Upstairs bedroom, furnace heat. Close in. Phone 48 or 390. Mrs. R. B. Sherrill, 1825 Deaf Smith street. 77-3tc

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom adjoining bath. Close in. Meals are served. Two doors from room. Phone 430-J. 2228 Main St. 77-3tc

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1230 Marshall street. Mrs. C. H. Holliman. 77-3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished light housekeeping rooms at 904 East Pease street. Phone 291. 79-3tp

UNFURNISHED ROOM for rent. 1325 Lamar street. Phone 371-W. 79-3tc

FOR RENT—To gentlemen: Nicely furnished bedroom adjoining bath. Phone 441-J. 79-3tc

FOR RENT—Two bedroom or two light housekeeping rooms. Two blocks from new high school building. 2901 West Bismark Street. Phone 417. 79-3tp

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bedroom to gentlemen only. Phone 436. 79-3tc

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with private entrance. Mrs. C. A. Borden at 1719 Bowie Street. 79-6tc

FOR RENT—Furnished bedrooms adjoining bath. To gentlemen only. C. V. McDonald, 2016 South Lexington Street. 78-3tp

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. Phone 369-W or call at 1826 South Lexington street. 78-3tc

Wanted.

WANTED—Middle aged lady for housekeeping. J. W. Bitner, Route 2, Box 63, Vernon. 77-6tp

WANTED—Position as housekeeper by middle aged lady. 2215 South Main street. 77-3tp

WANTED—LAUNDRY work. For first class home laundry work call 704-W. Quilts and blankets. 78-3tp

WANTED—Permanent position as stenographer and bookkeeper. Have experience and will furnish reference. Phone 383-W. 79-3tp

WANTED—By Vernon man, position as night watchman or clerk in dry goods or grocery store. J. P. Hutchinson, Route 3, Vernon. 79-3tp

WANTED—Roomers and boarders at 1326 Wilbarger street. 1tc

WANTED—Winter Turf seed oats, clear of Johnson grass seed. F. H. Coburn, Tolbert, Texas. 79-3tp

WANTED—We want to buy fresh eggs and other country produce. Will pay top cash price. South Side Grocery. Smith & Diggs. 79-2tc

To Trade

TO TRADE—I have a Ford Sedan bed to trade for touring car bed. Mrs. J. L. Jones, East Wichita St. 79-2tc

Lost, Found or Strayed.

LOST—Between Vernon and Fargo last week, little girl's hat. Finder please leave at J. S. Mason store at Fargo or at Vernon Record office. J. P. Richardson. 1tc

LOST—In Vernon October 4th, West Point Army Ring with gold garnet setting. Name inside. Reward. Write Captain C. B. King, Second Division, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. 79-6tp

Record Classified Ads Bring results

Bids Requested.

Sealed bids will be received until ten (10) a. m., Wednesday, October 22, 1924, by the County Auditor of Wilbarger County, Vernon, Texas, covering a new steam-heating plant for the Wilbarger County Court House Annex located on lot 9, block 13, Vernon, Texas. Bid bond or cashier's check in amount equal to five per cent of the bid will be required with each bid. The successful contractor will be required to furnish surety bond in full amount of the contract price, and the payment for the work done will be made in warrants only. Other information, plans and specifications may be obtained from the office of the County Clerk, Wilbarger County, Vernon, Texas.

E. L. McHUGH,
County Auditor.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNER—SHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912.

Of The Vernon Record published semi-weekly at Vernon, Texas, for October 1, 1924.

STATE OF TEXAS.

County of Wilbarger—ss:

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared R. H. Nichols, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Editor and Manager of the Vernon Record and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 443, Post-Office Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher The Vernon Record, Inc.

corporated, Vernon, Texas.

Editor R. H. Nichols, Vernon, Texas.

Managing Editor R. H. Nichols, Vernon, Texas.

Business Manager R. H. Nichols, Vernon, Texas.

2. That the owners are: The Vernon Record, Incorporated, Vernon, Texas; R. H. Nichols, A. C. Smith, T. A. King, L. G. Hawkins, A. H. Marchison, J. P. King, J. A. Dixon and Cy Long, Vernon, Texas; and A. D. Shepherd, Denham, Mo.

C. L. Sanders, St. Joseph, Mo., L. W. Landrum, Dallas, Texas; S. W. Hayne, Amarillo, Texas; Miss Lula May, Austin, Texas.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are:

A. H. Marchison, Vernon, Texas; mortgage on building; Barnhart Brothers & Spindler, Dallas, Texas, (Machinery).

4. That the two paragraphs next above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear on the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting, is given; also, that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association, or corporation has any interest direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds, or other securities than as so stated by him.

R. H. NICHOLS.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of September, 1924.

(SEAL) ERNEST A. VERNON,

Notary Public in and for Wilbarger Co., Texas.

(My commission expires June 1, 1925.)

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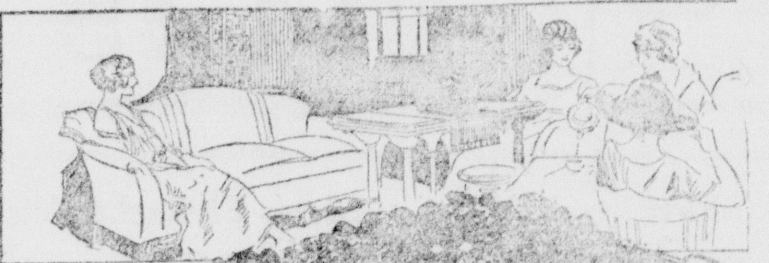
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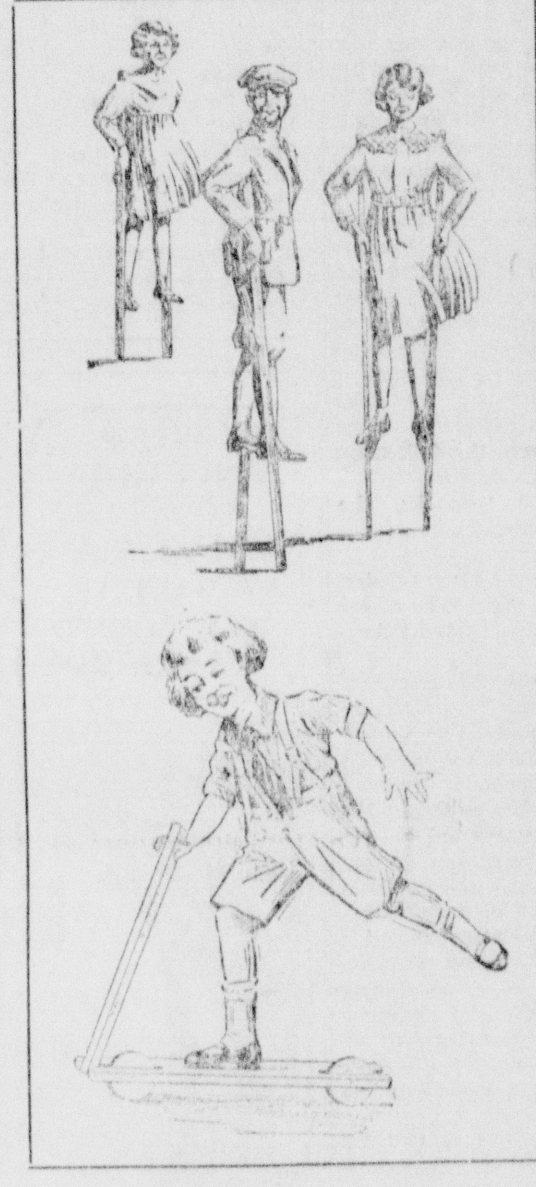
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Bring this with your money to the Record office.
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Am sending \$_____. Please credit my subscription for_____ years.
Name_____
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Please write name and address plainly giving street or P. O. box number.

"DON PASQUALE" IS COMING TO VERNON

CELEBRATED OPERA HERE NOVEMBER 11, OPENING MUSICIANS' SYMPHONY COURSE

Vernon people will again have a chance to avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing high class music and plays as they did last winter without going away from Vernon. The Musicians' club is bringing three numbers to Vernon of exceptional merit. November 11 has been set as the opening date of the series when "Don Pasquale," an opera, will be given at the new high school auditorium.

"Don Pasquale" is a William Waide Hinshaw production with the celebrated American prima donna, Miss Irene Williams, as Norina, is assisted by Pierre Remington, Leo de Hierapolis, Thomas McGranahan and Alfred Calbin. It will be remembered that Miss Williams and her group of artists were here last season and proved to be wonderful singers. "Don Pasquale" ranks high as an opera in musical circles and abounds with comedy.

Don Pasquale refuses his sanction to the marriage of his nephew, Ernesto to Norina, a lovely widow. The old man himself desires to marry, and his physician, Dr. Malatesta, proposes his sister, Sofronia, as bride. Don P. accepts and Norina disguises herself as the doctor's sister and the marriage contract is signed before a supposed Notary. Norina now behaves like one possessed of the devil, and makes life so miserable for the old man that he is delighted when he discovers that he has been duped; he readily consents to the wedding of Ernesto and Norina.

The second number will be given November 24, when the Moscow Artists, a quartette of Russian singers, who interpret the musical soul of Russia will appear. It is said that the Moscow Artists bring a musical expression of the soul of Russia, with the choice bits from the libraries of the world famed Russian composers—the folk-songs of the peasants, the rollicking songs and dances of the Cossacks, the song of Russian tragedy and songs of love.

The third and concluding number is a very clever play, "The Ghost Between," and will be staged February 12.

"The Ghost Between" is essentially a love story with the most delightful laugh moments imaginable. The Doctor thought that his wife worshipped the memory of her dead husband, but misunderstood his apparent coldness as indicating he was tired of his bargain. Each misunderstood the other's motives, and it might have proved disastrous had it not been for the discovery of an interesting chain of circumstances that, of course, resulted in a happy solution of their imaginary difficulties. There are some big dramatic moments in the play, as well as lots of sparkling comedy.

There are three acts in "The Ghost Between" and only four characters in the play, which runs a little over two hours. The cast is: The Doctor, the wife, the doctor's friend, the trained nurse.

After all expenses of the course have been paid the proceeds will be given toward the purchase of a piano for the new high school auditorium.

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The Chevrolet statistical department has worked out an interesting comparison between the quantity of basic food products that were required to purchase a Chevrolet touring car in 1913 and that required to purchase the corresponding model today. It must be borne in mind that the 1913 Chevrolet factory price for the touring car was \$1,000 while the touring car that has succeeded this model lists today for \$510.

The cotton grower in 1913 would have to pick and prepare sixteen bales of cotton for a Chevrolet, while today he would need to exchange but four bales.

Eleven years ago a tobacco grower would have to raise and cure 7,460 pounds of tobacco while today he would have to exchange but 1,920 pounds for this car.

Sheep raisers would today receive a Chevrolet for 4,080 pounds of sheep, for which in 1913 they would

have to give 21,015 pounds of their live product.

It took 1,576 bushels of corn in 1913 for a Chevrolet; today it takes but 436 bushels.

Against 1,075 bushels of wheat in 1913, only 395 bushels would be required today to purchase a Chevrolet.

Six hundred seventy-six bushels of potatoes today would purchase this car as contrasted with 1,691 bushels 11 years ago; while 1,416 pounds of butter today could be exchanged for the present model that required 3,177 pounds of butter a decade ago in a trade.

The pounds of cattle, hogs or wool that were required in exchange for a Chevrolet in 1913 were practically two and a quarter times greater than would be required today for a greatly improved product.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Ayres of Chillicothe were in Vernon last of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Metrick announce the birth of a boy, October 4.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hense Rowland at Doans, a son, Sunday, October 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armstrong of Doans announce the birth of a son, October 5.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sites of the Hinds community announce the birth of a boy, October 6.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cobb of Tolbert announce the birth of a boy, October 5.

Miss Florence Reeder submitted to an operation in a local hospital today. Her condition is pronounced satisfactory.

Mrs. Chaney Bryant's condition is satisfactory following an operation in a local hospital yesterday.

Miss Catherine Doss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Doss, had her tonsils removed in a local hospital Sunday.

MRS. SUMNER IS HONOREE AT MAH JONG LUNCHEON

Mrs. S. S. Munger entertained with a mah jong luncheon Friday, honoring Mrs. Joe C. Sumner, who has just returned from California where she spent the summer.

The color scheme of pink was carried out in the place cards and decorations. The table was centered with a silver basket holding pink roses and silver candlesticks placed at each end of the table held pink candles. The favors were dresden baskets filled with confections in the pink and orchid tints.

Covers were laid for the honoree, Mrs. Sumner, Mrs. E. L. McCarter, Mrs. George Hardin, Mrs. S. C. Rodgers, Mrs. E. O. Youngblood, Mrs. W. B. McCaleb, Misses Adelle and Mary Tom Sumner and the hostess, Mrs. Munger.

High score was won by Mrs. McCaleb and the prize, a dainty apron, was presented by her to the honoree. Mrs. E. L. McCarter was consoled with a handmade handkerchief. Mrs. Sumner's gift from the hostess was a set of gold Pickard china salt and pepper.

Mrs. I. J. Dearman who lives seven miles north of Vernon was operated on in a local sanitarium Saturday. She is getting along nicely.

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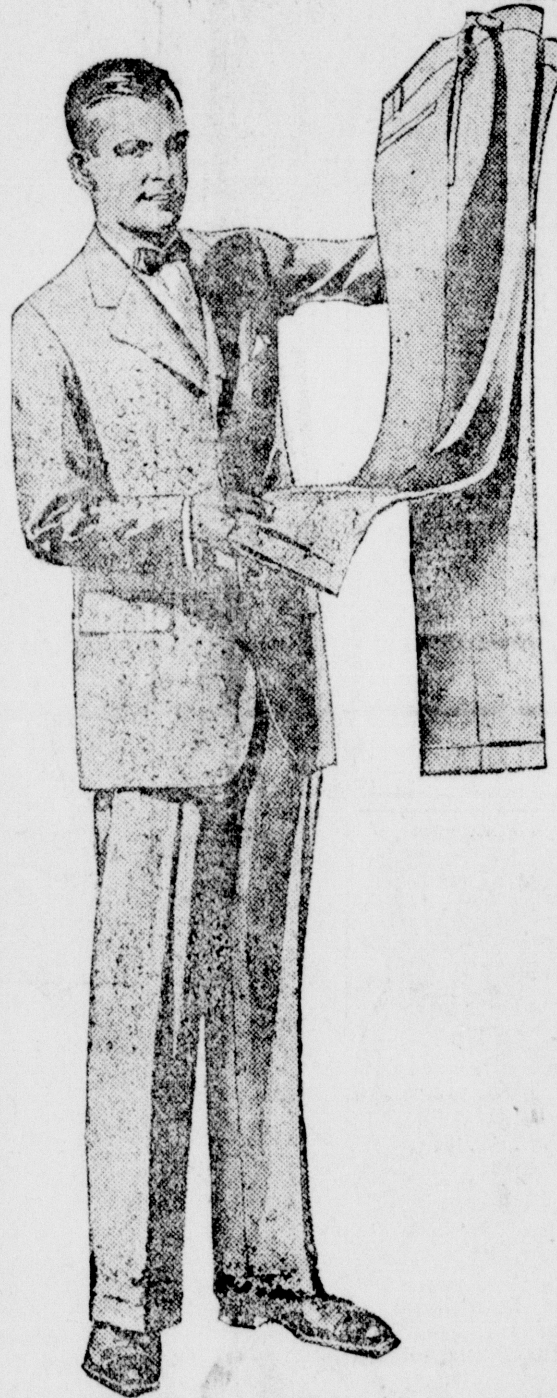
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